

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT DIGEST FOR HB 1077

Citations Affected: IC 33-13.

Synopsis: Judges' pension issues. Provides that a participant in the judges' 1977 benefit system or a participant in the judges' 1985 benefit system is eligible for normal retirement benefits if the participant is at least 55 years of age and the participant's age in years plus years of service is at least 85. Allows participants with at least eight years of service in the judges' retirement system to purchase service credit at full actuarial cost for prior service in public retirement fund covered positions other than full-time commissioner, magistrate, or referee. (This conference committee report: (1) deletes provisions that would have made full-time magistrates in an Indiana court after June 30, 1999, participants in the 1985 judges' retirement fund; and (2) adds a requirement that a judge must have at least eight years in the judges' retirement system before the judge may purchase the prior service credit.)

Effective: July 1, 1999.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Conference Committee appointed to confer with a like committee from the House upon Engrossed Senate Amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 1077 respectfully reports that said two committees have conferred and agreed as follows to wit:

that the House recede from its dissent from all Senate amendments and that the House now concur in all Senate amendments to the bill and that the bill be further amended as follows:

- 1 Page 1, delete lines 1 through 15.
- 2 Delete page 2.
- 3 Page 3, delete lines 1 through 6.
- 4 Page 8, line 23, delete "and".
- 5 Page 8, line 26, after "(2)" delete "." and insert **"; and"**.
- 6 Page 8, between lines 26 and 27, begin a new line block indented
- 7 and insert:
- 8 **"(5) has at least eight (8) years of service credit in the judges'**
- 9 **retirement system."**
- 10 Page 8, line 41, before "board" insert **"appropriate"**.
- 11 Page 8, line 42, delete "Indiana public employees"
- 12 Page 8, line 42, after "fund" insert **"described in subsection**
- 13 **(a)(2)"**.
- 14 Page 9, delete lines 12 through 18.
- 15 Page 11, line 28, delete "or a full-time magistrate".
- 16 Page 11, line 30, delete "or a full-time magistrate".
- 17 Page 11, line 38, delete "or section 3(b)".
- 18 Page 11, line 39, delete "full-time magistrate or the".
- 19 Page 12, line 6, delete "or full-time magistrate".
- 20 Page 12, line 8, delete "or full-time".
- 21 Page 12, line 9, delete "magistrate".
- 22 Page 12, line 9, delete "or full-time".
- 23 Page 12, line 10, delete "magistrate".
- 24 Page 13, line 25, delete "and".
- 25 Page 13, line 28, after "(2)" delete "." and insert **"; and"**.
- 26 Page 13, between lines 28 and 29, begin a new line block indented
- 27 and insert:

- 1 **"(5) has at least eight (8) years of service credit in the judges'**
- 2 **retirement system."**
- 3 Page 14, line 1, before "board" insert **"appropriate"**.
- 4 Page 14, line 2, delete "Indiana public employees".
- 5 Page 14, line 2, after "fund" insert **"described in subsection**
- 6 **(a)(2)"**.
- 7 Page 14, line 4, delete "judges" and ind insert **"judge's"**.
- 8 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.
(Reference is to EHB 1077 as reprinted March 31, 1999.)

Conference Committee Report
on
House Bill 1077

Signed by:

Senator Harrison

Representative Kromkowski

Senator Craycraft

Representative Buell

Senate Conferees

House Conferees